Dec 24
1934

Monks House. Sunday

Here is a tribute to Angelica from Ottolini. If you read it carefully you will see that he wants a letter to write to her: which I think she must do. After all, it moves still up the time after Christmas lunch: Ott: leaves for Judea, like the Camerons, at 2.30. The day after to-day I'm sending a telegram reply on my own.

Here we are – very fine at the moment, but the shade of Christmas has fallen. Why do Marcia & Wells Coates send me a Christmas Card? Why does Katherine Fane? Why does Miss Porter? Well, I hope you're all enjoying yourselves. Love to Cory. I'm just settling in to the new garden room. Where the bill for the carpet? O where?

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Wednesday.

Yes of course – we are delighted; & it seems a very small sum. Let us know if there is any difficulty, & we could easily send more.
Please also let me a bill of the way for Carpet.

I suppose you would not like to dine alone with me tomorrow night —
L. is at the Cranium.

B.

We bought 3 pictures yesterday!

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Vita writes that she is sending
her motor car to Rome, leaving
England on April 19th
"sooner than that I do greatly
I would offer anybody a lift in
it for a very small proportion
of the Expense. ... Then a
Comfortable car, wh. will take
2 or 3 passengers & all necessary
luggage. " The thinks you
might like it. So I scrawl
this out, marmaget redden -
beken and I am. VB

Let me know at once if you are, as this
going to press. Perhaps some
of your C[illegible].

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March 11th

I entirely forgot that it was so late in the month. I thought it was 8th February in fact.

Lord — we drove 40 miles last night back from Tissington in a driving snow storm & bitter gale, & I thought we should perish. And you would then have died one year (perhaps) But it a lonely night.

Mar 12, 1935

Monday

There is my check for the unequalled entertainment: Jane Duncan the Extra in part payment of Cabs &c.

Would you like me to come in to tea, or night, tomorrow? We shall be away this Sunday — that's why I presume. But let me know

B.